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## **New Comment Submission**

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Sat, Sep 26, 2009 at 9:41 AM

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A new comment has been submitted at socotransmission.com,

### COMMENT

Meeting Attended:

I was not able to attend a meeting

### Important Issues:

Land Use (Agriculture, Residential, Recreation), Water Resources (Floodplains, River Crossings), Historic and Cultural Sites, Radio or Television Interference, Noise, Health and Safety, Project Purpose and Need, Biological Resources, Visual / Aesthetic Resources, Proximity to Residences

Property Uses: Agriculture, Residential

#### Comment:

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I don't understand why homeowners were not notified of this project so we could be in on it from the beginning, not now when it sounds like it's too late. We are just south of the Kimbrough property and don't know how you could have missed all the houses in our area that will be badly affected. Although it doesn't touch our property isn't there an easement that would come across our property? Why can't this follow Hwy 160 since we already have to look at the existing lines. How tall will these poles be and is there somewhere we could look at them already installed? We believe there has to be an alternative route that would better please the people who choose to live peacefully and quietly in the mountains! Tim & Marge Thomsen & Family

### CONTACT INFORMATION

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## I-284-001: Public Involvement Process (In Review)

Your email/letter/comment form has been received and your comment noted. The project is in the planning and environmental review stages. Current project information will be available on the RUS project website, http://www.usda.gov/rus/water/ees/ea.htm and the Utilities' project website, http://www.socotransmission.com/.

The Environmental Impact Statement is anticipated to be completed in late 2010 and will be available at http://www.usda.gov/rus/water/ees/ea.htm.

## I-284-002: Correction to Data (In Review)

Your email/letter/comment form has been received and your comment noted. The information you provided will be verified and project materials will be updated accordingly.

The Environmental Impact Statement is anticipated to be completed in late 2010 and will be available at

http://www.usda.gov/rus/water/ees/ea.htm.

# I-284-003: Visual and Aesthetic (In Review)

Your email/letter/comment form has been received and your comment noted. Potential impacts to vegetation from the proposed project and mitigation measures will be addressed in the Environmental Impact Statement.

The Environmental Impact Statement is anticipated to be completed in late 2010 and will be available at

http://www.usda.gov/rus/water/ees/ea.htm.